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WESTERN DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA  
ALEXANDRIA, LOUISIANA

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

WESTERN DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA

ALEXANDRIA DIVISION

JAMES M. THORNTON,  
Plaintiff

CIVIL ACTION  
SECTION "P"  
NO. 1:14-CV-00447

VERSUS

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
Defendant

JUDGE DEE D. DRELL  
MAGISTRATE JUDGE JAMES D.  
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JUDGMENT

For the reasons contained in the Report and Recommendation of the Magistrate Judge previously filed herein, and after independent (de novo) review of the record including the objections filed herein, and having determined that the findings and recommendation are correct under the applicable law;

IT IS ORDERED that defendant's motion for summary judgment (Doc. 25) is DENIED AS MOOT.

THUS ORDERED AND SIGNED in Chambers at Alexandria, Louisiana, on this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of July 2015.

  
CHIEF JUDGE DEE D. DRELL  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE